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SUBJECT: PLO CLAIMS OF COUP ATTEMPT IN JORDAN FALSE

1. WE HAVE NOTED SOME AREA NEWS REPORTS (BEIRUT DAILY STAR OF APRIL 13) OF PALESTINIAN NEWS AGENCY STORY (FBIS LONDON 121826Z APR 75) CLAIMING THAT CERTAIN UNITS OF JORDANIAN ARMY HAD ATTEMPTED TO OVERTHROW KING HUSSEIN.

2. NEEDLESS TO SAY, WE HAVE HAD NO RPT NO INDICATION OF ANY SUCH ANTI-REGIME ACTIVITY IN ARMY. STORY APPEARS TO BE PART OF STANDARD PLO PRACTICE OF SOWING FALSE RUMORS DESIGNED TO DISCREDIT KING HUSSEIN.

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3. PLO ITEM SEIZED ON KING'S RECENT VISITS TO MAJOR

COMBAT DIVISIONS OF JORDAN ARMY, A PRACTICE KING FOLLOWS
PERIODICALLY, PARTICULARLY PRIOR TO TRAVELLING
ABROAD AS HE WILL BE DOING LATER IN MONTH.
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